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## MEDIA ADVISORY

### ***KDHE hosts tour of Kansas recycling and composting facilities***

Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) is celebrating 10 years of projects funded by Solid Waste Competitive Plan Implementation Grants by bringing members of the Governor's Grants Advisory Committee on a tour of the state. Thursday, April 27 through Saturday, April 29 staff and members will tour 18 recycling and composting facilities.

All media are invited to meet the bus at scheduled stops on the trip to learn more about recycling and composting activities and the new ***Get Caught Recycling™ (GCR)*** promotion developed specifically for local programs and communities.

#### **Thursday, April 27**

- **Topeka**, 7:20-7:45 a.m., City of Topeka Yard Materials Recycling Facility, 600 NW Winter (North of I-70 and MacVicar)
- **Lyndon**, 8:35-9:05 a.m., ***Osage County Recycling***, 208 W. 17<sup>th</sup>
- **Olathe**, 10:05-10:35 a.m., City of Olathe Household Hazardous Waste facility, 1420 S. Robinson
- **Prescott**, 12:05-12:35 p.m., Linn County Transfer Station, 4067 Vernon Rd. (1 mile east of town, turn left, drive 1 mile north, facility on east side of road)
- **Pittsburg**, 2:05-2:50 p.m., SE Kansas Recycling, Inc., 615 S. Joplin

- **Neodesha**, 3:50-4:20 p.m., Cobalt Boats, industrial park West one block on 11<sup>th</sup> then south (Main facility at 1715 N. 8<sup>th</sup>) **(tour location changed to 2150 Enterprise Dr., Independence)**
- **Yates Center**, 5:05-5:35 p.m., **Woodson County Transfer Station**, 1443 118<sup>th</sup> Rd

### **Friday, April 28**

- **Wichita**, 7:45-8:15 a.m., **ProKS/Miller Recycling Center**, 725 W. Clark
- **Greensburg**, 10:45-11:15 a.m., **Kiowa County Recycling Center** 1002 S. Grove
- **Kinsley**, 11:50 a.m.-12:10 p.m., Edwards County Conservation District, 513 Niles Ave.
- **Cimarron**, 2:10-2:40 p.m., City of Cimarron Recycling Center, 107 S. Ash
- **Dighton**, 3:40-4:10 p.m., Lane County Recycling, 5 W Road 153
- **Gove County**, 5:10-5:40 p.m., **NWKRRO- Gove facility**(go to I70, East to Park exit then south 1.5 mile, west .25 mile – near the landfill)
- **Wakeeney**, 6:05-6:35 p.m., City of Wakeeney Recycling, 120 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St.

### **Saturday, April 29**

- **Phillipsburg**, 8:20-8:50 a.m., Phillips County Landfill, **1.5 mile west on Santa Fe – near the landfill.**
- **Osborne**, 9:50-10:25 a.m., Osborne County Recycling, 117 S. Elm St.
- **Concordia**, 11:40 a.m.-12:25 p.m., Champlin Tire Recycling, **Inc.** 301 Cedar
- **Manhattan**, 2:30-3 p.m., Riley County Transfer Station **Compost site**, 1881 Henton

Times are subject to change. Interviews with KDHE staff, committee members and local operators will be available. Please contact (name) at (phone and email) to for specific tour stops and to schedule an interview. Photo opportunities available.

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